

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA**

WILLIAM GARDINER,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	
v.)	1:21CV971
)	
KAREN KOCHER,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

ORDER

The Recommendation of the United States Magistrate Judge was filed with the Court in accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 636(b) and on December 8, 2022, was served on the parties in this action. (ECF Nos. 32, 33.) No objections were filed within the time prescribed by § 636.

The Court hereby adopts the Magistrate Judge's Recommendation.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Plaintiff's Motion for Leave to Amend the Complaint and for Amendment of the Scheduling Order, if Necessary, (ECF No. 19), is **GRANTED** and Plaintiff is allowed to file his First Amended Complaint.

This, the 25th day of January 2023.

/s/ Loretta C. Biggs
United States District Judge